



# Acquisition & Cross-Servicing Agreements (ACSA)

## U.S. Africa Command Fact Sheet

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### Overview

Acquisition & Cross-Servicing Agreements (ACSA) are international agreements between the United States (US) Department of Defense (DoD) and foreign nation militaries.

An ACSA facilitates the exchange of Logistics Support, Supplies, and Services (LSSS) between the U.S. and host nations.



An ACSA enables the exchange of LSSS through cash, Replacement in Kind (RIK), or Equal Value Exchange (EVE) transactions (orders) that are tracked through the ACSA Global Automated Tracking and Reporting System (AGATRS).

### Objectives

- ◆ **Provide:**
  - Legal authority to transfer LSSS
  - A tool to meet emergent logistics shortfalls
  - Flexibility to commanders for engagement
  - Worldwide mil-to-mil interoperability
- ◆ **Utilized to Support:**
  - Combined and joint exercises
  - Contingency operations
  - Exigent circumstances
  - Humanitarian and foreign disaster relief
  - Peace keeping operations
  - Reducing logistics tail
  - Training requirements
  - Wartime needs

### LSSS Items Eligible

◆ Ammunition; Base Operations Support; Billeting; Calibration Services; Clothing; Communication Services; Facilities Usage; Food; Medical Services; Petroleum, Oil, and Lubricants (POL); Port Services; Repair and Maintenance; Spare Parts not covered by Foreign Military Sales (FMS); and Components; Storage Services; Training; Transportation.

- Restrictions apply

### LSSS Items NOT Eligible

◆ Weapon systems; Major End Items; Initial Quantities of Replacement and Spare Parts covered by FMS; Guided Missiles; Naval Mines; Ammunition as covered in the US Munitions List (USML); Nuclear Material; Chemical Ammunition, major construction projects.



### Facts

- ◆ 20 African nations with ACSA agreements
- ◆ 27 African nations that are ACSA eligible
- ◆ 4 nations granted authority to conclude by DOS
- ◆ RIK's and EVE's need to be completed within one year following the signature of the order or they automatically turn into a cash transaction.